THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" It is only a humorous remark, Sir. It is not a serious question."

Promotion of Harijan Police officers.

* 27 *Q*.—SRI A. RATNAM : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of Sub-Inspectors, Inspectors and Deputy Superintendents of Police promoted in the year 1952;

(*b*) the number of Sub-Inspectors, Inspectors and Deputy Superintendents, if any, so promoted belonging to Harijan community; and

(*c*) the number of Harijan officers of the above categories available for promotion during that period?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" (*a*) to (*c*) Statement [a] showing the particulars is placed on the table of the House."

* 28 *Q*.—

(The Hon. Minister for Health was looking up for the answer.)

SRI P. RAMAMURTHI :—" That question may be taken up to-morrow, Sir."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I have no objection to take it up tomorrow."

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—" We will take up the other questions and take up this question at the end."

MR. SPEAKER :—" I have no objection to that."

Location of fire stations outside the Madras City.

* 29 *Q*.—SRI K. PARTHASARATHY : Will the Hon. the Minister for Finance be pleased to state—

(*a*) the places where fire stations are located outside the Madras City;

(*b*) how many among them are in non-municipal areas; and

(*c*) whether the municipalities pay any contribution towards the maintenance of fire stations in their areas?

THE HON. SRI C. SUBRAMANIAM :—"(*a*) A statement [b] showing the fire stations located outside the Madras City is placed on the table of the House.

" (*b*) All the fire stations are functioning in municipal areas.

" (*c*) No, Sir."

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[a] Pinted as Appendix I on pages 97 infra.
[b] Printed as Appendix II on pages 97–98 infra.